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LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Alonzo Elam had business in Morehead yesterday.

H. H. Byars is confined to the house this week with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Ova O. Haney spent the week end in Lexington and attended the games.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Johnson of Sandy Hook spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Byars.

Miss Alka Elam spent the week end at Florriss with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Elam.

Mrs. Gladys Stapp, Mrs. Mary Poynter and Miss Lou Jones spent the week end in Lexington.

Mrs. J. L. Blair has been confined to her bed the past week with lumbago and is still not able to be up.

Miss Isabelle Caskey spent Sunday with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Stamper, at Grassy Creek.

Robert Caskey, Miss Isabelle Caskey and their mother attended the basketball tournament at Lexington Saturday evening.

Miss Florence McGuire spent Friday and Saturday in Lexington, the overnight guest of her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Hibbard of Sandy Hook drove over Sunday afternoon to see Mrs. Hibbard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nickell.

NEW—Jesse Adams has opened a Barber Shop over Ryan's Store. To all who call appreciation will be shown by good careful work. —adv.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Elam and son, Garry Lee, and Miss Dorothy Bellamy were in Morehead for the week end attending the Winter Carnival.

Mrs. George Bellamy is in Morehead this week visiting her son, L. D. Bellamy and family; also her son, Dwayne, who is a student of Morehead college.

Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stacy, Frances Ann and Joe Dan Stacy, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wells and Mrs. Henry Lowell Gardner were in Lexington Saturday.

Rev. Murphy, his grandson, Cleo, Mrs. Mildred May and son, Scottie, attended church at Mize Sunday and enjoyed a fine dinner with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Oldfield.

Mrs. W. P. Elam, who had been out of her office about two months, is able to take care of her business again. Her many friends will be glad to see her out again.

Mrs. Sarah Keeton of Salyersville went to Camargo Thursday and remained with her brother, W. J. Cochran, until after his death Tuesday and for the funeral services yesterday.

Rev. G. C. Banks will hold his regular service Sunday morning at the Christian church. The children's choir, under the direction of Mrs. Catherine Lewis, will furnish the music.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Caskey received a fine basket of Florida fruit Tuesday from their daughter, Nell, at Bowling Green, Florida. On top of the fruit was a lovely bouquet of orange blossoms. The editor and other members of the office staff, are enjoying a spray of the blossoms and some of the fruit.

Coach D. C. Burton, Professor W. L. Carpenter, Opie McKenzie, Dr. R. J. Poynter, Earl Price, Charles Case, Henry L. Stacy, Jack Cochran, Lin Stacy, Mrs. Winfred Carpenter, Bob Elam, Vernon Peyton, and many others, whose names we were unable to get, attended the basketball games at Lexington this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Treadway have had their two cottages occupied by Berlin Stacy and family and by Mr. and Mrs. Quayle repared. They had just built a neat smoke house on each property and are now having both houses painted inside and out. They also are putting the yards in grass. These are two comfortable and lovely little homes.

FISH FRY

The Morgan County Game and Fish Protective Association has arranged to hold a big fish fry on Friday, March 22, at 6:00 P.M. in the courthouse, for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements to get a quail holding project located in Morgan county. The Division of Game and Fish has agreed to cooperate if several game clubs in Eastern Kentucky will organize and meet certain requirements. Every one should be interested in getting the project in this county. It is hoped that all of the business people will be present to express their views and give their cooperation to help make this a reality.

Invitations are being extended to all of the organizations within the county to be present. There will be some lively speaking from outside sportsmen and plenty of fish to eat. Morgan County High School Band and old time fiddlers' contest will entertain the crowd.—OVA O. HANEY, President, Morgan County Fish and Game Protective Association.

Mrs. Gilliam Entertains

The Junior Missionary Society met Tuesday night, March 19, with Mrs. Lexie Gilliam for their regular meeting. Work was started on material for a linen sale. A delegate was elected to go to Frankfort in April. Miss Ella Ruth Childers was chosen; Mrs. Ruby Tackett was elected as alternate. Mrs. Bob Stafford was elected as the new secretary. Two new members were added to the society—Mrs. Mildred Nickell and Miss Lurline Reed. Those present were Mrs. Lexie Gilliam, Miss Lurline Reed, Mrs. Mildred Nickell, Miss Helen O. Price, Mrs. Kenneth Clay, Mrs. Ruby Tackett, Mrs. Helen Gene Childers and Mrs. Myrtle Stafford.

A SAD ACCIDENT

Sunday afternoon as a one-seater car on a slight curve by the mize school house passed another car, it hit a culvert and the driver lost control of his car. The car turned over and over on the level highway. In some way the left hand door sprung open and the driver was thrown out and killed instantly. He sustained a broken neck and other serious injuries. The deceased was Winell Hurt, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hurt of Murphy Fork.

The other occupants were Mr. Cox, Miss Sweeney and Miss Centers of Tolliver. They were still in the car and only slightly injured.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER

Miss Mildred Whitt and Mrs. Harold Nickell entertained with a surprise miscellaneous shower in honor of Mrs. Winfred Carpenter, at Mrs. Carpenter's new home.

Those present were: Mrs. Blaine Nickell, Mrs. Carl Reeves, Mrs. Goebe Ratliff, Misses Bernice Williams, Clara Mae Pelfrey and Jerry Nell Rose.

Those sending gifts with their regrets were Mrs. Henry Rose, Mrs. Crystal Howard, Mrs. Yandal Wrather, Mrs. Carl Burton, Mrs. Herbert Trayner, Mrs. Kenneth Clay, Mrs. C. K. Stacy, Mrs. Herbert Wells, and Mrs. Ova Haney.

Republican Committee Meeting

The Republicans elected as committee members from their precincts are hereby notified that a meeting of said committeemen will be held at the law office of Nickell & Nickell, West Liberty, Ky., at 1 P.M. on March 30, 1940, to elect a county chairman, secretary and officers of said committee. The presence of all members is requested.

This March 19, 1940.
J. BLAINE NICKELL, Chairman
Republican Committee Morgan Co.,
ASA BLAIR, Secretary of Committee

Office Windows Attacked

Late Wednesday night of last week, a coupe in which three men from Inez were riding, left the road and ran into the side of the printing office breaking out the panes of two windows. None of the occupants were seriously injured but the car had to be taken to a garage for repairs. The party was on their way to Lexington to the tournament.

Visit at Fannin

Miss Faye Gibson of Sandy Hook, who is employed in the Gullett home at Stacy Fork, together with her grandfather, Rev. W. E. Bentley, visited from Saturday till Wednesday with their home folks, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gibson, of Fannin. They both had a very enjoyable visit.

WATER WORKS WILL MOVE NOW

We reprint herewith in full a copy of a letter just received from W. H. Hopkin, the representative of the RFC in Kentucky. If there is any virtue in the old adage, "Money makes the mare go," our water works project has now passed its rough sailing and will have smooth going from now on.

LOAN AGENCY OF THE RECONSTRUCTION FINANCE CORPORATION

Louisville, Kentucky, March 18, 1940
Mr. F. S. Brong, Chairman of Board of Trustees, West Liberty, Ky.
Re: Bond Ordinance, Proposed Waterworks Issue, West Liberty, Ky.
Dear Mr. Brong:

Kindly be advised that the Legal Division at Washington is now considering setting up a bond ordinance for an issue of \$38,000 of bonds along the lines suggested in your recent letter. You should hear from them in the near future about their final decision in the matter.

Yours very truly,
W. HOWARD HOPKIN, Field Representative
Bond Service Section, Self Liquidating Division

100 TO 400 PERSONS MAY LOSE JOBS HERE

The people of Morgan county will be faced with a serious unemployment problem if something is not done by the present Congress. Congress last year passed an act where sponsors in the county must put up 25 percent of the total cost of all projects. If the sponsors fail to produce their part the WPA will close and move to other counties who can furnish the necessary sponsors contribution. For example if 400 men were working on WPA whose total salary would be around \$16,000. It would be necessary for the county to put up at least \$5,000 per month. If the sponsors fail, according to the act passed by Congress, to produce the 25 percent it will be necessary to cut down the program in Morgan county to almost nothing and of course WPA will give orders to Fayette or some other wealthy districts to assign all they need providing they put up a certain amount of money. It appears that Congress in passing this bill helped to defeat the original purpose for which it was appropriated, that is to help the most needy individuals as a rule in the most needy districts. In other words now the districts that have the most money will be able to get the most help from WPA. It will be a difficult battle for the poor counties in Kentucky to match this money therefore throwing thousands out of employment who are needy and deserving aid. This is not the fault of the WPA organization and its officials but they are forced to follow the regulations laid down by Congress who in the opinion of most of the people of rural Kentucky have erred. I think it would be certainly be advisable and appropriate for every one in Morgan county who has any influence to contact their Congressmen and Senators and ask them to repeal this enactment or

at least amend it so as to avoid working an undue hardship on those communities and counties that are least able to endure it.

Seventy-five men have already been cut off WPA in the last month and another drastic cut can be anticipated at once unless something is done.

If the town board of West Liberty through the Re-Finance Corporation can get their water works project started here that will be a great deal of help because the town board is putting up through the Re-Finance Corporation approximately \$38,000, and that will give Morgan county a \$38,000. sponsors contribution that will probably last six to eight months and if the Rural Highway collaboration with WPA that will give a \$16,000 sponsors contribution which will help out for the rest of the year. People everywhere should encourage the proper authorities within the county to hurry up and start these projects or there will be a drastic cut in WPA which will hurt the county because we need the employment, roads and school buildings.

If Morgan county fails to meet the sponsors contribution requirements these men will be cut off and men will be assigned in wealthier counties. The WPA has a fine road building program outlined in the county and they regret very much to have to cut down the program. They will not be forced to retrench in the county if they can get the water works project started and the Ezel school building.

Again the people of this county, the farmers, business men and all should encourage all cooperation possible to avoid losing this money, because the people of our county need it.—OVA HANEY, Superintendent, Morgan County Schools.

STEPHEN ROSE

Stephen S. Rose of Lacey Creek, son of the late John D. and Nancy Nickell Rose, was born on November 11, 1868, and passed away March 16, 1940. He is survived by his wife, Rosa Little Rose, five sons—John, Herbert, James, Steve Jr. and Charles three daughters, Mrs. Arch Johnson, Mrs. Graden Walter, Edna J. Rose; seven grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Lizzie Rose Cecil.

Mr. Rose was an extensive land owner and business man and led a busy life. During his hours of sickness he left the consoling words that he was ready to go when called.

Funeral services were held at the home Sunday morning, directed by Rev. Henry A. Stovall, pastor of the Hazel Green Christian church. The body was laid to rest in the home cemetery in the presence of a host of relatives and friends.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY MEETING

The Missionary Society met Thursday afternoon, March 14, 1940, at the home of Mrs. Ollie Blair for business meeting and program. The meeting was called to order by president, Mrs. D. R. Keeton. Song, "What a Friend." Then followed a period of silent prayer. The scripture lesson was read by the president, Mrs. W. A. Caskey and Mrs. W. M. Gardner led in prayer. The subject of the program was "The Creative Ideals of Complete Self Conservation." Mrs. W. A. Caskey gave a talk on the life of Isabelle Thoburn. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The roll was called and twelve members were present. There followed a business session. Mrs. D. R. Keeton was elected as delegate to go to the Annual Missionary Conference to be held at Frankfort, Ky., April 16, 17, 18.

Salyer Cemetery Association

All persons interested in the Salyer cemetery are requested to attend a meeting of the cemetery association at the Cole hotel on Tuesday afternoon of next week at 2 o'clock. Several important matters need to be taken care of, and your presence is earnestly desired.

MRS. C. K. STACY, President

NICKELL HOSPITAL NOTES

Rexford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Collins near Pomp, upset a pan of hot water on himself and was pretty badly burned on the shoulder, arm and back. He was brought to the hospital for treatment and is getting along nicely.

Mrs. Dennisa Lewis and Mrs. Mattie Rose of Murphy Fork and Mrs. Curt Jackson of Ezel are coming to the hospital for treatments.

Dr. Nickell was called to Lenox Sunday night to see Mrs. Newt Perry. She is improving.

Autie Hamilton of Dingus is under the doctor's care for pneumonia. Miss Mable Cottle, a high school student, was in Friday to have a cyst above her left eye removed.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Oney of Caney, Tuesday, March 19, 1940, a boy—George Bunyan.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Cecil of Camargo Saturday, March 16, 1940, a fine girl, Barbara Ilene. At present Mr. and Mrs. Cecil are with Mrs. Cecil's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Oney, at Florriss.

Dr. Nickell was called to Sandy Hook Sunday to see Mrs. Woodrow Sturgill.

Miss Irene Gose of Grassy Creek was in the hospital Sunday to have dressed a wound a few inches above the ankle, which had been made by a pair of scissors. It took two stitches to close the wound.

WILLIAMS

Susan Williams (or Aunt Took, as generally known), daughter of Solomon and Peggie Blevins, was born October 18, 1870, departed this life March 9, 1940, aged 69 years, 4 months and 19 days. In early life she was married to John W. Williams, a leading citizen of this community, who preceded her in death several years ago. To this union were born seven children: Dennie of Ashland, Auty of West Liberty, Ora, Ova, and Orfa, at home, Doia and Claud, deceased.

Mrs. Williams was converted, baptized, and became a member of the Union church on March 7, 1925, but on account of ill health after the death of her son, Claud, she could not attend church as she would have liked to, but she said she could live a Christian life at home with her boys to whom she was most devoted. She was seriously ill for about one month before she passed on. The writer has never witnessed such strong faith and Christian foresight as expressed in her closing days. She has three aged brothers, J. F. and Andy Blevins of West Liberty, and Billy Blevins of Dingus, one sister, Polly Bradley of Dingus, and many other relatives and friends to mourn her departure.

Funeral services were held from the Union church by the pastor, Elder R. H. Ferguson, assisted by Elders A. C. Bradley and D. W. Beulahimer.

—Contributed by M. C. Bradley

RESOLUTION

PAULINA CHAPTER No. 360

West Liberty, Kentucky.

The God of love chose Monday, February 5, 1940, to remove from labor on earth to that celestial peace above, our beloved sister, Jennie Lee May.

Another link has been severed from our fraternal chain and we are left to mourn her untimely death, and departure from her labors of love on earth to fields of higher usefulness in heaven.

Whereas we have all felt the power of her life for good in our midst for many years, and we know that we shall greatly miss her wise counsel, and

Whereas we feel that a great woman of God and a true member of the Eastern Star has been taken, and that she will be sorely missed by all, and especially by her loved ones.

Therefore, be it resolved by Paulina Chapter No. 360, we have lost a true friend and sister, and one of West Liberty's principal benefactors and we join in her relatives in mourning her death, and be it further Resolved, that this resolution be recorded in the permanent records of this chapter and a copy be sent to her niece, Mrs. Mary May.

HARLEN MURPHY

MAUDE PERRY

STELLA FANNIN

MORGAN CO. HOSPITAL NOTES

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Forest Lacy at Maytown, Wednesday, March 20, 1940, a nine pound boy—Forest Jr. Coburn Lee Blair of Wrigley, a high school student, who had been in the hospital with pneumonia, was dismissed Monday.

Mrs. D. Hall of Salyersville was dismissed Tuesday.

Gerald, the four year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ford Chaney on Grassy Creek, who was being treated for diphtheria, was dismissed Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. H. B. Murray, Mrs. Bill May and Miss Vivian Bellamy have business in Lexington today.

Dr. Percy Hawk of Sandy Hook, who has been ill for some time, is able to be out again. He and Mrs. Hawk called on Dr. Murray Tuesday.

Leonard Stamper of Grassy Creek was in Mt. Sterling to have Dr. O. P. Henry X-ray his leg after the cast was removed. The X-ray was favorable showing the break healing nicely.

Mrs. J. M. Perry is in bed with bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keck of Sandy Hook were in the office Wednesday.

Gives Government \$25

Cleveland, Ohio.—An unnamed taxpayer recently enclosed a check for \$50 with his income tax return—\$25 more than the amount he was required to pay. The man explained that while he was not rich and could have found good use for the extra \$25, he could think of nothing better than to contribute the money to the government which has been so kind to him.

MOSTLY PERSONAL

Miss Bernice Little was in Paintsville today on business.

Everett Nickell and Rolly Lykins had business in Lexington Monday.

Miss Ella Ruth Childers attended the tournament at Lexington Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Keck of Sandy Hook were in town Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Gladys Barclay of Richmond is visiting her sister, Mrs. James D. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Auty McClain were at Lexington Friday visiting and shopping.

Miss Louise Holbrook spent Sunday at Lenox with her mother, Mrs. P. G. Holbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Yandal Wrather left yesterday to attend a reunion of the Wrather family.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gullett and baby, David, were in Lexington yesterday shopping.

Miss Kathleen Stamper is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. Paul Lacy, at White Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Gullett and daughter, Anita, were Sunday dinner guests at the Cole Hotel.

Gladys Gullett, Mrs. Bob Stafford and Mrs. A. P. Gullett were in Mt. Sterling and Winchester last week.

Miss Jean Potter spent an enjoyable week end at Cow Branch with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy B. Potter.

Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Clay entertained Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stafford with a delicious chicken dinner Monday night.

Grace Wright returned Saturday from Malone, where she had attended her father, Allison DeBorde, during his illness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watson of Richmond spent the week end here with Mrs. Watson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Elam.

Mrs. Crystal Howard and Miss Helen O. Price spent the week end in Lexington and attended the state basketball tournament.

Mr. and Mrs. David Davis of Sandy Hook and Emory Davis of Ashland visited with Mr. and Mrs. Asa Blair and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Gardner were in Lexington Saturday. Mr. Gardner attended the basketball games while Mrs. Gardner visited relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Wells entertained Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Stacy and Joe Dan and Frances Ann Stacy with a dinner at the Cole Hotel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Monroe Nickell went to Lexington Tuesday and were the overnight guests of Mrs. Nickell's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Keeton.

Editor F. S. Brong is not responsible for this week's attempt at a paper. Not feeling so well, he has for the first time in over 13 years let the office force do all the work and worry.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Quayle, who resided in one of the Treadway cottages left Monday for Cincinnati, Ohio. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Watson of Ohio are moving into the cottage vacated.

The many friends of our County Clerk, Mrs. G. I. Fannin, are glad she was able to return home Tuesday afternoon. She is a little tired from her trip, but her doctor thinks she is getting along nicely.

The State garage on this side of Index burned Tuesday night between 9:30 and 10:30 p.m. Kelly Meadows, who lives near, saw the fire, but too late to try to save anything. Two trucks, one tractor and other machinery were in the building.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Arnett spent the week end in Lexington with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sebastian and son, Don. We are sorry we failed to get a full report of Mr. and Mrs. Arnett's lovely trip through Florida, for our readers.

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FARMERS' COLUMN

AAA INFORMATION

Kentucky farmers who participate in the 1940 AAA program have until April 15 to draw up with a local committee individual farm plans which apply the program to their farms.

In working out each farm plan, farm operations will be outlined to bring the greatest benefits to the farmer through his participation in the farm program, it is announced. The farmer will get first-hand information about soil-building practices needed on the farm and how he may be eligible for the maximum assistance under the farm program.

The farm plan, a copy of which each farmer will receive when he talks with his committee, also contains valuable information regarding classification of crops, maximum payments, soil-building practice credits, and similar data.

Any farm operator who does not have the opportunity within the next few weeks to work out a farm plan should notify his local committee or the county office that he wishes to do so. In order to qualify for payment under the 1940 farm program, the farm plan must be filed in the county office on or before April 15.

PAY APPLICATIONS

Approximately 10,000 Kentucky farmers who cooperated with the Agricultural Conservation program in 1939 have yet to sign their applications in county association offices in order to qualify for 1939 payments, it has been announced by the state office of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Lexington.

These applications must be signed on or before March 30, 1940, the closing date for completing 1939 applications, and filed in county association offices.

Through February 29 the Agricultural Adjustment Administration has disbursed to county associations \$4,790,921.43 in payment of \$3,611 of the 1939 applications of Kentucky farmers. Distribution of the 1939 payments by county offices began early in February.

A total of 141,960 of the 1939 applications had been completed in county offices and forwarded to the state office as of March 7. Of this number 138,873 had been audited in the state office and shipped to the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Washington, on that date.

The 10,000 applications which remain outstanding, representing less than 7 percent of the Kentucky farmers eligible for payment under the 1939 program, are scattered throughout the state.

NEGLECTED LAND

Better use of neglected land might add \$400,000 a year to farm incomes in Grant county, Kentucky, or could permit reducing tobacco production by 2,400 acres, according to calculations made by community and county planning committees.

In reviewing the report of the planners, Richard M. Sandefur, assistant county agent, notes that 23 percent of the land in the county is listed as "neglected land." This area of 36,800 acres, now producing practically no income, if brought to average production, says Mr. Sandefur, would pasture 4,930 cattle and 12,150 sheep. This stock, he continues, at average prices would return \$413,000, which would about equal the return from 2,400 acres of tobacco.

To prove the value of reclaimed land, the planning committees suggested demonstrations in several parts of the county. Brush and rock will be cleared off, a cultivated crop grown one year and then grass and clover mixtures sowed. In some instances, grass and clover will be seeded immediately and no cultivated crop used. Both methods include mowing after seeding to help control brush and weeds.

One of the outstanding problems in Grant county, according to the

report of the planning committees, is the large acreage of neglected land that is not producing profitable returns to owners.

TREES NEEDED IN KENTUCKY

Kentucky gradually is being depleted of its beautiful forest trees. Unless about 5,000,000 trees are set in the next 10 years, Prof. N. R. Elliott, landscape man at the College of Agriculture at Lexington, thinks there will be serious lack of shade trees.

Prof. Elliott suggests setting hardwood trees that live long and are resistant to injury. He especially recommends hard maples, pin oaks, red oaks, sycamores, tulip poplars and gums. Redbuds, dogwoods and hawthornes are among the better small trees recommended. March and April are the best spring months for putting out trees. Further suggestions by Prof. Elliott are:

No tree more than 10 feet tall or more than 2 inches in diameter should be set, while six feet tall is the limit for the smaller kinds. A good root system is essential. In setting native trees, do not waste time hunting perfectly straight ones. Reasonably straight ones will be all right.

The soil does not get richer because a tree is planted in it. If poor soil is found in digging the hole, remove that soil and put a good topsoil in instead. Manure should not be placed around the roots; cover the roots thoroughly and then use the manure as a mulch on top. Wrap the trees from the branches to the ground with two or three thicknesses of newspapers or burlap, leaving this on until it blows away.

KENTUCKY FARM NEWS

Grayson county farmers ordered 250,000 locust seedlings but were unable to obtain this number. In spite of delay and the fact that the price was double that expected, 69,000 trees were ordered and will be planted immediately.

In Vanceburg, a "Pied Piper" day was held with the county agent, City Council, Rotary Club, merchants and U. S. Biological Survey cooperating. To eradicate rats, 700 pounds of red squill were distributed as bait—and the dead rats destroyed the following day.

In Ballard county, where undulant fever has been reported, Bang's disease tests have been extensively conducted in the past month. It was found that 3 percent of the first 1,000 cows tested gave reactions. The testing has been hastened in all parts of the state.

Joe Bill Carrithers, 4-H club member of Jefferson county, produced a bumper crop of hybrid corn on a well-fertilized quarter-acre plot. He sold 12 bushels of his choice seed corn to farmers trying hybrid for the first time, and has a list of customers built up for his next crop.

At Munfordville in Hart county, plans are in progress to establish a cheese factory to use local dairy products. It is expected to buy a lot and put up a small building for \$3,000 advanced by local business men, who will be repaid by rentals.

"Better beef for greater profit" has become the slogan of Metcalfe county farmers launching a purebred cattle drive. Plans include gradually getting rid of grade cattle at favorable prices, and buying registered animals.

AUTO TRAFFIC



By Eastern Kentucky Automobile Club
TODAY'S ROADS

KENTUCKY

US 23 Between Louisville and Paintsville. Rough. Caution advised.

US 119 Harlan-Pineville Road. Placing handrails on Baxter Bridge. Caution should be used in passing.

KY 21 Berea-Big Hill Road. Bridge construction at Silver Creek. Short run-around detour through the creek bed during dry weather. Detour over county gravel road one and three-fourths miles to US 25 north of Berea when creek bed not passable. Adds one and one-half miles to total distance.

KY 247 New Haven-Howards-town Road. Bridge out. Detour from US 31-E at Athertonville to intersect KY 247 3.4 miles south of the closed bridge. No additional distance.

US 227 Detour on Paris-Winchester Road. Additional distance approximately 4 miles.

US 62 Between Rockport-Central City, overhead bridge construction at Martwick.

US 25-E Pineville-Middlesboro Road. Short detour at Middlesboro, north city limits due to flood control construction.

WASHINGTON NOTES

Gold

In February the monetary gold stock of this nation increased \$246,474,000, reaching \$18,177,486,000, according to the Department of Commerce.

Dollar for 88 cents

When the war began in Europe, Canadian and American money was on a par for money order purposes but the Postoffice Department will now sell a money order worth \$100 in Canada for \$88.

Farm Bankruptcies

Bankruptcies among the nation's farmers touched the lowest point in almost two decades in 1939, being twenty-one percent below 1938 and eighty-two percent below 1925. For the fiscal year 1939, 1,422 farmers went into bankruptcy. The peak year, 1925, saw 7,872 bankruptcies among the farmers.

No Inflation

The Federal Reserve Board finds no inflation in the domestic economy of this country in its review of price and business trends since the war. The first five months of hostilities in Europe have passed without the development of alarming inflationary symptoms which were feared when the war began.

Farm Loans

The Farm Credit Administration has 1,057,532 outstanding loans to farmers for the purchase of farms, equipment, livestock and improvements and for refinancing old mortgages. The amount involved is \$2,595,534,825. This is a reduction of about ten percent from the peak load on January 1, 1936.

Japanese Plan

Japanese dispatches indicate that the Tokyo Government has abandoned its intent to alter the attitude of the United States towards Japan's aims in China and intends to remove existing grievances in the hope that this will gradually appease American resentment and lead to renewal of the trade treaty which has been abrogated.

Armistice?

Senator Key Pittman, chairman of the Senate Foreign Affairs Committee, recently suggested a month's armistice in Europe. This aroused interest, with some speculation whether the Senator's suggestion was a trial balloon, sent aloft at the suggestion of the Administration. Regardless of what prompted the proposal, there is practically no chance of its adoption.

Shipping Bermuda

Beginning this week, the Clipper planes of Pan-American Airways will not stop at the British crown colony of Bermuda where mail has been seized by the British authority for censorship. Early announcements indicated that stops would be eliminated on Eastward flights, but, subsequently, it was decided to eliminate both stops. The company said the decision was "routine schedule change" to gain several hours in time on flights from the United States to Portugal.

Safety Zone

Since the establishment of the American safety zone, the nations in this hemisphere have sent two protests to the British government in regard to belligerent activity in the area delineated. The scuttling of the German steamer Hanover last week will be the third case if investigation shows that the safety zone had been violated. It should be understood that the safety zone is without standing in international law, but that it may become established if the American nations can enforce respect for it.

SENATE FOR FARM RELIEF

The action of the Senate Appropriations Committee in raising the total in the farm bill to \$958,000,000, as compared with \$749,561,000 previously voted by the House, indicates that Congress will not sell the American farmer down the river.

The importance of adequate farm relief can hardly be overestimated. American agriculture suffers from national policies that protect other interests at the expense of the farmers. If the nation insists upon such laws, as the tariff, it must be ready to give agriculture an equivalent.

It may be possible for somebody to devise a better solution to the farm problem but until the solution brings paying the farmers cash returns there is no excuse for economy practiced at the sole expense of agriculture.

Automobile Vacation Trips

In an average year, \$4,200,000,000 is spent for automobile vacation trips by 42,000,000 persons, nearly one-third the country's population, according to the American Automobile association.

NOTES AND COMMENTS

Many a life of the party is a wash-out at home.

Modern theology: Fitting Christian principles to modern economics.

Any political worker can tell you now who is going to be the next President.

Rumania, it seems, is blessed with oil; that's why she may be cursed by war.

A racket is somebody else's formula for making a living without too much work.

If all after dinner speaking could be eliminated the dinners would be just as good.

Congress can take some satisfaction from its economy talks but not much from its record.

Regardless of all the build-ups an expert is still an ordinary man away from home.

You can't get along with people by saying, or thinking, "I'm the captain; follow me."

The man who engages in cut-throat competition usually feels the effect around his own neck.

Religion is a great blessing if you have it but it can be a nuisance if you only think you have it.

The Finns made up their minds to quit fighting about as quick as they made up their minds to fight.

Air offensives pay big dividends against nations that have no fleets available for retaliatory attacks.

Last week any number of Americans complained that they did not make enough money to pay their income taxes.

The millenium will be at hand when sellers exhibit the same courtesy to a pauper that they show to a rich prospect.

Japan has about concluded that the United States does not understand her efforts to secure peace in the Far East.

To paraphrase another saying, a lot of good can be accomplished in Morgan county if nobody cares who gets the credit.

Sweden may have been willing to sacrifice Finland in order to get peace but residents in glass houses should throw few stones.

What this nation needs, if you listen to some people, is to get big business men to make plans for everybody's happiness.

Some day we expect to get the shock of our lives by opening the morning paper and reading where a young woman, involved in a sensational incident, was neither "young" nor "beautiful."

Why should the United States worry about air raids? With autos killing a hundred citizens a day it's time we took a step forward and figured out another way to get rid of surplus people.

Good products often languish because they are not advertised but this is no sly argument to persuade you to advertise what you have to sell. You know your product best and it may not be fit to advertise.

GOOD TAXES VS. BAD TAXES

So far as we have been able to distinguish there are two kinds of taxes, good taxes and bad taxes.

Good taxes are those that levy upon other people and bad taxes are those that make us pay.

Likewise, there is wise expenditure of public money and foolish expenditure.

Wise expenditure promotes our idea of a public necessity (and maybe affords an opportunity for a little profit on the side) and foolish expenditures are those which, so far as we can judge, do not directly put cash, or benefits, in our pockets.

If you will thoroughly understand the distinction that we make in regards to taxes and expenditures you will be able to understand a lot of the squawking that you hear.

American Taj Mahal

The Singing Tower at Lake Wales, Fla., has been called the Taj Mahal of America because of its exquisite architecture and setting.

Jamaican Headwork

While a Jamaican woman is eating a bun or sandwich on the street she will put it on her head between bites. Natives never carry anything in their hands. They even fetch water in large kerosene tins, place the containers on their heads, and walk home without a quiver, their hands swinging at their sides.

BOB JONES' COMMENTS

This is being written February 29.

The writer has just returned from Orlando, Florida, where he had the pleasure and honor of speaking on the platform of the Hampden DuBose Academy annual Bible Conference. Dr. P. W. DuBose, the founder of the Hampden DuBose Academy, sponsors and directs the conference which is held in the first Presbyterian church. Dr. DuBose is a Presbyterian minister and the son of Dr. Hampden DuBose, a foreign missionary for whom the Hampden DuBose Academy was named. Dr. DuBose has a missionary slant on his work and is fervent in his spiritual life and exceedingly sane in his methods. He and his talented Christian wife are doing one of the best jobs I have ever seen done. They can accommodate only fifty young people of grammar grade and high school ages in their Academy. Their building is filled to overflowing. A number of the students are the children of missionaries sent back home by their parents from foreign lands and put under the protecting Christian influence of Dr. and Mrs. DuBose. I have never seen any institution more carefully managed, and more blessed spiritually by Almighty God. The school has some very nice land located just outside of Orlando. But buildings are greatly needed. The Christian people of this country should supply the funds so buildings could be erected to house several hundred young people. I was utterly surprised when Dr. DuBose told me how small an operating budget he has. Dr. and Mrs. DuBose do not solicit money. They trust God to move on the hearts of the people to supply the needs of the school. God has rewarded their faith and has kept the school going. Having for many years been engaged in evangelistic work and having also dealt with young people who have come from many parts of the world to Bob Jones College, I think I know quality work when I see it. We have a number of graduates of the Hampden DuBose Academy in Bob Jones College. They are well-trained, refined, Christian young people. Dr. and Mrs. DuBose are doing a work that will abide forever. Their unselfish approach to the task should put to shame Christians who hoard money and live self-centered lives. I have carried the burden of a college on my shoulders. The Lord knows how heavy this burden has been. But I am so personally interested in the marvelous work being done by the Hampden DuBose Academy, I intend to send from time to time some contributions to the work of the Hampden DuBose Academy in Orlando, Florida. I can recommend this work to Christian friends who would like to invest some of the money the Lord has put into their hands.

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DEHART
Robert Lee Price, born Nov. 2, 1870, died March 14, 1940, aged 69 years, 4 months, and 12 days. Scott county, Virginia, was his native home until his early teens, when he came to Morgan county to make his home. At an early age he was united in marriage to Miss Lizzie Smith, who departed this life some time ago leaving four small children, of whom two survive him. At the age of 38 he was married to Miss Myrtle Meek of Johnson county. To this union were born nine children, all of whom survive him. He leaves to mourn his loss his widow and children, Mrs. C. C. Ferguson of New Cummer, Mrs. S. M. Vancleave of Woodsbend, Mrs. C. R. Nipper of Dehart, Mrs. Stanley Ferguson of Woodsbend, Mrs. E. H. McGuire of Pekin, and Curtis, E. M. and Robert, Evalena, Gracie, and Stella, all at home. He also leaves twelve grandchildren, two sisters, and two brothers. He departed this life at a better world. His testimony was that he was ready to go and for his bereaved family to meet him in heaven. Funeral services were held at the home at 10 o'clock by Revs. B. B. McClure, Russell Brown, Ollie Ferguson, and Curbie Williams. The bereaved mother and small children are making their home for a few days at her daughter, Mrs. Courtney Nipper, of Dehart.

The death angel visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Ferguson on March 9 and took their one week old boy. Funeral services were held Sunday at the home by Rev. Curbie Williams.

OPHIR
(Left out last week)
March 3.—James, Sam, George and Roy Helton were at West Liberty one day last week on business.

Edd Brown of Relief is doing some carpenter work here, repairing H. D. Ferguson's dwelling house.

Ezra Cox decided he was tired of living a bachelor life, so, he was married to Miss Etta Riggsby of Deaton. Ezra is the son of James Cox of Ophir and is forty-four years old. The bride is the fourteen year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riggsby of Keaton.

Nova Wright of Ophir and Charlie Roark of Rockhouse were quietly married a few days ago.

Hollie Williams of Lacy and Miss Gladys Smith of Ophir were married Wednesday, February 27. Hollie is the son of Mrs. Cynthia Williams of Lacy. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Smith of Ophir. We all wish them a happy life together.

Roscoe Pennington, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walker Pennington was married to the beautiful and only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Brown, Mescal. We all join in wishing them a happy and prosperous life together.

Jessie Lemasters and Callie Owens of Minefork were married February 17, 1940.

Mantford Young of Ophir and Desie Smith of Dings were married last week. Also Check Young was married to Rosie Gambill of Ophir. Both the boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Elias Young Desie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith. Tossie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gambill.

Johnnie Hill of Ophir and Lizzie Blevins of Relief were married February 27. Johnnie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill of Ophir. Lizzie is the daughter of Mrs. Rena Blevins of Relief. We wish them lots of happiness through life.

The stork visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grover Pendleton February 14, and left them a fine 12 pound boy—Billy Alvin. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Rodge Burchett, February 19, a girl, Imogene.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Wheeler and children, Callis C. and Nettie Alice, of Lacy visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ed Ferguson, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cox took their infant baby to the hospital at Paintsville Friday of last week. The baby is getting along fine.

Mrs. Roscoe Brown, who was taken to the Golden Rule hospital and operated on for appendicitis, has returned home and is gaining strength slowly.

Misses Garnet Jones and Peggy Patrick of Sand Lick visited Miss Evelyn Cantrell Sunday.

Grover Pendleton, who is working at Ashland, visited his wife and baby the week end.

Miss Tealie Hamilton is employed at the home of Mrs. Trigg Pendleton.

Lewis Ferguson, Arnold Cantrell and Miss Reva Williams were the Sunday guests of Nola Gullett of Minefork.

Ron Cantrell was in West Liberty Thursday of last week on business.

Robert Cox transacted business at Red Bush Saturday.

Francis Gilliam has sold his farm to Shady Cantrell and is moving to Sciota, Ohio. Part of the family have already gone.

JEPHTHA
March 18.—Ben Bolen, Jr., received word that his sister, Mrs. Dewey Ferguson, of Seaman, Ohio, died last week.

Mrs. R. H. Ferguson has a letter from Seaman, Ohio, from her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Addie Ferguson, who recently moved there from Relief.

A. M. Bolen has been on the sick list the past week, but is some better.

Mrs. D. W. Beculhimer was the Saturday night guest of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kennard, on War Creek.

J. L. Keeton and Walter Roseberry moved to Split Wood and Powell Smith bought Mr. Roseberry's farm on the head of Laurel Branch and will move there.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilliam were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Pelfrey of Elk Fork.

Thurman Smith is moving from the head of Lick Branch to Moon. Milt Sparks will move from Buck Branch to the house vacated by Mr. Smith.

Elder B. B. Fannin recently moved on Manchi Smith's farm here.

NEAL VALLEY
(Left out last week)
March 6.—Misses Carrie and Betsy Wells of Middletown, Ohio, visited home folks over the week end.

Mrs. Dewey Dennis and children left for Middletown Friday morning where they expect to make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Caskey and little son, Roy Lee, spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Davis.

Adam Lowe moved Dewey Dennis' family and furniture to Middletown. We hope Dewey and his family will like their new home.

Quite a number of our neighbors attended the funeral of Gaynes McKenzie at West Liberty Saturday.

Some of Mrs. Ray Wells' friends surprised her Saturday night by calling on her. They were Mrs. Roy Caskey and little son, Roy Lee, Mrs. Coy Davis, Coy Jr., and Versie Davis, Mrs. Mort Neal, Sam and Louise Neal. Coy Jr. Davis celebrated his seventh birthday Saturday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock. Interesting games were played and young folks had a delightful time. The little host then opened his numerous gifts and his smiling countenance expressed his appreciation. They were then taken into the dining room to assist Coy Jr. with his birthday cake. He being a windy little fellow, blew all seven candles out at one blow. After enjoying cake, hot chocolate, candy and apples, they departed. Those present were Betty, Emmitt Dale, Virginia Louise Adams, Jimmy, Raymond Cantrell, Danny Wells, Dorothy, Bertie Mae and Jimmy Wells, Bobby and Harrison Clark Neal, Roy Lee Caskey, Mrs. Buford Wells, Mrs. Mort Neal, Mrs. Roy Caskey, Mrs. Emmitt Adams, Louise Neal.

MAYTOWN
March 11.—Mrs. Will Lane and daughter, Maxine, of Pine Grove, were the Wednesday guests of Mrs. Hayden Lykins.

Pauline Picklesimer, who has been ill, is better.

Elisha DeBusk and son, Chalmer, of Ezel were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan DeBusk.

Mrs. T. R. Handy of Glasgow came in Monday to spend the summer with her sister, Mrs. Clell Gilley, here.

E. M. Pieratt and James Ingram were at Mt. Sterling Wednesday. James Ingram purchased a team of mules while there.

Drilling for oil has been started on the farm of Mr. and Mrs. Clell Gilley.

Virgil DeBusk has the contract of carrying the mail from Maytown to Ezel.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Finley Lykins, February 5, a girl—Janice Kay.

Florence and Christine Lykins had a party at their home Saturday night. Those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Taulbee and little daughter, Barbara. Mr. and Mrs. Hobart DeBusk and son, A. M., Mr. and Mrs. Charles Williams, Mrs. James Ingram, Bessie Hill Madeline Williams, Louise and Betty Maxey, Carrie Bennett, Junior Maxey, Ellis Williams, Garvin Pack, Elmo Doolin, Roe Salyers, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Lykins, Maxine, Helen and Christine and Florence Lykins. Candy making and playing games were the entertainments of the evening. All departed at a late hour reporting a nice time.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ratliff burned Tuesday morning between the hours of 3 and 4.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Maloney, a girl, Annie Dean. She was born February 10.

Everybody thinks Archie Brooks is going to give up the merchant business and take up drilling for he seems to enjoy watching them drill.

JACK
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FLAT WOODS
Mr. and Mrs. Carl Henry of Pine Bluff were the Sunday guests of Mrs. W. P. Henry and son, Dr. W. L. Henry, of Relief.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kemplin and Edgar Manning of Seaman, Ohio, were the week end guests of relatives here.

Mrs. Josephine Adams shopping in West Liberty Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cox were in Mt. Sterling Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Henry and children and Herbert Bailey were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gibson.

The big pump station at Woodsbend has closed down and sold out and will be moved out.

Mrs. Chalmers Wilson and Mrs. Finley Gose were the Sunday guests of Mrs. Ethel Caudell.

UNCLE ZIP

MOSSY BOTTOM
Mrs. Joe Pelfrey of this place gave a quilting last Wednesday for her daughter, Mrs. Watson Williams of Pikeville. Attending the quilting were Mrs. Ford Spears, Mrs. Raymond Hamilton, Mrs. E. D. Hamilton, Mrs. Roy Hamilton, Mrs. Ezra Hamilton, Mrs. Turner Hamilton, Mrs. Myrtle Hamilton, Mrs. Elex Cantrell, Mrs. Watson Williams and Miss Georgia Pelfrey. Two quilts were quilted and a good dinner was served.

Mrs. Victor Lesslie of West Virginia is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Spears, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hamilton and Mrs. Elex Cantrell visited Paul Alley Sunday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Jim Ratliff, on Cow Pen. Mr. Alley is 89 years old and at this time he is not expected to live through the day.

Misses Alta, Alma, Ruth and Wilma Hamilton, Elmo Spears, Georgia Pelfrey, Myrtle and Neva Mae Cantrell, Talbert, Dud and Buel Spears, Archie and Clark Pelfrey, Bub and Ivan Hamilton all of this place attended a dance at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Red Casebolt at Coal Run Saturday night.

CANNEL CITY
March 18.—Mrs. Walter Howard has returned home after a week's visit with her sister, Mrs. Turner Vance, at Wheelwright.

Lovdis Nickell and baby, Dan Calmon, spent Saturday night with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Green Jones.

Mrs. Carl Sebastian and children spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Briscoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gullett and baby, Dorothy Mae, spent Sunday night with his father and grandmother, Bruce Gullett and Nancy Little.

Mr. and Mrs. Lones Lykins and daughter, Fay, of LaGrange, spent Saturday night with Mr. Lykins' father, J. C. Lykins, and returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Fairchild and children spent Friday night with Mrs. Fairchild's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Davis.

Mrs. Lizzie Vance, who had been visiting the past two weeks on White Oak with her sons, Mr. and Mrs. R. Vance, and Willie Vance, has returned home.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Ernie McCarty, March 4, 1940, a boy—Berlin.

GUESS WHO

ELK FORK
March 18.—Mr. and Mrs. Envy Wheeler and little daughter, Loretta Delores, were Saturday night guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Wheeler.

Born, March 4 to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cox, a fine baby girl—Bernice.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ferguson received a telegram Friday to come at once to see their daughter who was in the hospital. She was formerly Miss Anna Ferguson, now Mrs. Anna Ison, living at Canton, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilliam of Dings were visiting her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Pelfrey, Sunday.

Fred Oliver was at Newcombe on business the week end.

Cecil Day our mail boy from Elk Fork to Redwine, has been sick and Earl Adkins was in charge two days last week.

Earl Adkins was at West Liberty Tuesday on business. He also called on his aunt, Mrs. Tom McNeer, of Cow Branch.

Grant Ball and two daughters, Mrs. Elvie and Julie Fyffe, were called to the bedside of their sister, Mrs. Jesse Gamble, of Spaw Creek, who was seriously ill and was taken to the Paintsville hospital.

Steve Keeton of Lucasville, Ohio, is here looking over his farm this week.

L. H. Skaggs was at Roscoe in Elliott county last Sunday to visit Roscoe Skaggs.

Russell Cox and Bennie Adkins were at East Chicago, Indiana, seeking work last week.

Earl Adkins was at Crockett Saturday on business.

DEHART
(Left out last week)
March 5.—Mrs. J. H. Risner of this place spent a few days last week with her mother, Mrs. Ella Stamper, of Rexville.

Mrs. Maggie Howard of West Liberty is spending a few days at home with her children.

The 4-H club members and leaders attended the 4-H club meeting at West Liberty last Friday.

Miss Loduskie Robbins of Zag is visiting her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robbins, this week.

Arnold Carpenter and Elax Hale and Don Robbins are working at West Liberty this week.

Austin Risner is working at Rexville.

SPAWS CREEK
March 20.—Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Wingo had business in Mt. Sterling Monday.

Mrs. Craig Hamilton of Malone visited Sunday with her brothers, Tom and Pomp Adams of this place.

Mrs. Hamilton was accompanied by Hershel and Ira Vest and Lucian Williams.

Mrs. Sarah Blevins and children, Dolly and Walter, Mrs. Maggie Endicott and daughter, Myrtle, and Jasper Dennis, all of this place attended the funeral of Mrs. Susan Williams of Dings Sunday, March 3.

Stanley Caskey took a load of crosses to Paintsville for Bill Blevins.

Elbert Ferguson visited Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams at Oil Springs over the week end.

Rube Blanton of Oil Springs had business here and at West Liberty Friday.

Mattie Gross of West Liberty spent Sunday with home folks at this place.

SUN BROTHERS

FLORENCE
(Left out last week)
March 11.—Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams, a 7 pound boy, Woodford Dene.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Templeton visited Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pelfrey of this place Saturday night and Sunday.

Misses Frances and Florence France of Matthew were Saturday night guests of their sister, Mrs. Bertie Pelfrey.

Dewey Patrick, who had been working at Harold, has returned home for the summer.

Miss Eulene Patrick left Wednesday for Harold to visit her father, Launda Patrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Conley were Sunday dinner guests of her mother, Molley Johnson, of Cow Branch.

L. C. Templeton, who had been staying with his son, J. S. Templeton, of Lebanon, Ohio, for the past four months, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Pelfrey and family entertained at their home Sunday the following: Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Templeton and L. C. Templeton of Lebanon, Ohio, Tabitha Hager and children, Ruth Mildred, Troy and Roy of Florence, Ona Pelfrey and little daughter, Emma Sue, Arlie Nickell and Vinson Williams of Florence. All seemed to enjoy the day.

Mrs. Ida Elam and Rudolph Williams were the Thursday afternoon guests of Victoria, Bertie and Butler Pelfrey, of this place.

SNOW DEAR

LENEX
March 18.—Mrs. H. L. Day and daughters, Ardene and Lorene, of Elk Fork, spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Everett Day, of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleff Tussey of Cynthia and Mrs. Oscar McKenzie of West Liberty spent Friday night with their mother, Mrs. J. D. Dennison, of this place.

Miss Louise Holbrook of West Liberty visited her mother, Mrs. P. G. Holbrook, Sunday.

Miss Geneva Elliott, who attends school at West Liberty, spent the week end with home folks at Strait Creek.

Cecil and Louise Holbrook, Albert Trimble and Evelyn Adkins of this place attended church at Strait Creek Sunday.

Church services were conducted at Strait Creek Sunday by Revs. Thurman Ferguson, Edgar Caskey, Everett Fultz and Sanford Lyons. A large crowd attended. Sarah Jane Eldridge was baptized. A wonderful message was delivered to all.

Cecil Holbrook spent Sunday night with his sister, Miss Louise Holbrook, of West Liberty.

Mr. and Mrs. John Trimble had as Sunday dinner guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Doolin, and little son, Daris, of Cow Branch and her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Williams.

Mrs. Newt Perry is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnel Mullins of Redwine visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hammonds, Saturday night and Sunday.

Hurrah! for the good ole Courier.

AUNT NANCY LEE

REDWINE
March 18.—Mrs. Pauline Lee Morgan of Redwine is spending a few days with Mrs. Lanta Whitt of Wrigley.

Jesse Howard of Strait Creek spent the week end at this place.

There was church and baptizing at Strait Creek Sunday.

Cleve Keeton of Ashland has moved his family back to their home on Strait Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Conley of Sandy Hook visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Adkins, a few days last week.

Miss Geneva Elliott of West Liberty spent the week end at home.

Mrs. Vergil Adkins, who has been ill for some time, is improving.

BETHEL CHAPEL
(Left out last week)
Mr. and Mrs. Gared B. Patrick, who had been living here with her parents, have moved to Stacy Fork on his father's place.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Haney and Mrs. Haney's father, D. G. Lacy, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Carver and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Stacy had as Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Rudd and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Edgar Rudd, Mrs. Elbert Bentley and son, Billy, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Taulbee and daughters, Ruth, Fairy and Gloria Faith, all of here. All enjoyed a fine delicious dinner and departed in the late afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gared B. Patrick of Stacy Fork spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Haney, of here.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Briscoe and daughter, Joyce Ann, visited Sunday with Mr. Briscoe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price Briscoe, at Cannel City.

A PAL

PANAMA
March 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Ferguson of Cannel City spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Gevedon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Barker visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roly Ferguson at Index, Friday.

Born, March 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Dorsa Byrd, a girl, Frances Ann.

Elmer Haney of Phillis Branch and Sam Haney spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Gevedon at Stacy Fork.

Born, March 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Maines, a girl, Betty Elizabeth.

Carl and Eulah Mae Haney of Phillis Branch spent the week end with their cousin, Eloise Haney.

Blaine Burchett of Wrigley and Edith Castle of this place were married recently.

Jerald and Reves Ferguson of Greear and Letha Ferguson of Grass Creek spent Sunday with Reva and Treva Haney.

Frances Wells of West Liberty, who had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Dorsa Byrd, the past three weeks, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Castle are the proud parents of a boy, Willie Edward.

LITTLE ME

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